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# **Electronic Control Weapons (ECW) Use Reporting Form**

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Name of Chief, Commissioner, or Ag	ency Head:	Name of Individu	ual Completing Report:
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Semi-Annual Reporting Period	Time Period	Report Due Date
O 1st	January 1, 2016 – June 30, 2016	July 31, 2016
② 2nd	July 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016	January 31, 2017

- Collection of these data is authorized and required under MGL ch.170 sec. 2 of the Acts of 2004
- EOPSS is mandated to publish these data annually. Annual reports are posted on the EOPSS website.
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 How many sworn officers were in your department at the end of this reporting period? Include all part-time, full-time, reserve and other officers employed by your department. 2,166

2. How many sworn officers have completed the approved training program for ECWs to date? Include all part-time, full-time, reserve and other officers employed by your department.

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3. How many ECWs does your department own?

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